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CONFERENCES (1977)

REF: A) REPORT OF US REP ON 29TH ADMIN COUNCIL (ITU), PAGES 11-14;

B) ITU CIRCULAR LETTERS 484, 485 - AUGUST 30, 1974

1. WITH DECEMBER 15 DEADLINE PASSED, ITU SECRETARIAT GAVE FOLLOWING
SUMMATION OF MEMBER STATE COMMENTS, REQUESTED BY CIRCULAR LETTERS
484, 485 OF AUGUST 30, 1974, ON TWO WORLD ADMINISTRATIVE RADIO
CONFERENCES PROPOSED FOR EARLY 1977--ONE FOR PLANNING BROADCASTING
SATELLITE SERVICE IN THE 11.7-12.2 GHZ FREQUENCY BAND AND THE OTHER
FOR THE AERONAUTICAL MOBILE SERVICE:

A. WARC FOR PLANNING BROADCASTING SATELLITE SERVICE IN 11.7-12.2
GHZ FREQUENCY BAND: TO DATE 33 RESPONSES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED, WITH NO
DISSENSION EXPRESSED TO HOLDING CONFERENCE IN GENEVA AND THE BULK
FAVORING HOLDING THE CONFERENCE IN THE MIDDLE OF JANUARY FOR A
DURATION OF SIX WEEKS. SWEDEN FAVORED CONVENING THE CONFERENCE IN
SEPTEMBER 1976 AND SUGGESTED BUDGETING FOR POSSIBLE PROLONGATION OF
CONFERENCE FOR ONE TO TWO WEEKS. EIGHT STATES--AUSTRIA,
FRANCE, ALGERIA, ICELAND, NORWAY, SWEDEN, NETHERLANDS,
UNITED KINGDOM,--SAID ADMIN COUNCIL HAD NOT BEEN FAITHFUL TO
SPIRIT OF TORREMOLINOS RESOLUTION 27 IN CIRCULAR LETTER AND
INSISTED THE CONFERENCE SHOULD BE DEVOTED TO WORKING OUT DEFINITIVE
WORLD PLAN FOR BROADCASTING SATELLITE SERVICE. UK STATED CONFERENCE
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SHOULD ALSO (1) ESTABLISH SHARING CRITERIA FOR THE BANDS 11.7-12.2

GHZ (REGIONS 2 AND 3) AND 11.7-12.5 GHZ (REGION 1) BETWEEN BROADCASTING SATELLITE SERVICE AND THE OTHER SERVICES TO WHICH THESE BANDS ARE ALLOCATED; AND (2) WORK OUT PROCEDURES INDICATED IN PARAGRAPH (C) OF CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 484 OF AUGUST 30, 1974. UK RESPONSE ADDED: "IN LIGHT OF TECHNICAL RECOMMENDATIONS TO BE MADE BY THE CCIR, THE MAIN CONSIDERATION TO BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT IN THE PRODUCTION OF A WORLD WIDE PLAN FOR THE BROADCASTING SATELLITE SERVICE WOULD SEEM TO BE: I) THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SATELLITE TRANSMITTERS; II) THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE DOMESTIC RECEIVING STATIONS; III) THE REQUIRED PROTECTION RATIO AT THE RECEIVING STATION; IV) THE BANDWIDTH OF THE CHANNELS TO BE ALLOCATED; V) THE POSITIONS OF THE SATELLITES IN THE GEOSTATIONARY ORBIT; VI) THE ALLOCATION OF CHANNELS TO COUNTRIES; AND VII) THE QUESTION OF 'OVER-SPILL'."

B. WARC ON THE AERONAUTICAL MOBILE (R) SERVICE:

TO DATE 35 RESPONSES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED WITH NO DISSENSION EXPRESSED TO HOLDING CONFERENCE IN GENEVA AND MAJORITY FAVORING HOLDING CONFERENCE IN SPRING OF 1977 BUT WITH FIVE STATES--AUSTRIA, DENMARK, ICELAND, NORWAY AND SWEDEN--FAVORING HOLDING CONFERENCE AFTER WARC TO BE HELD IN 1979 TO UNDERTAKE GENERAL REVIEW OF RADIO REGS AND TABLE OF FREQUENCY ALLOCATIONS. SWEDISH ADMINISTRATION SAID THAT WARC 1979 "MUST NOT BE HAMPERED IN ITS TASK TO BRING ABOUT A NEW EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF FREQUENCY BANDS AMONG DIFFERENT SERVICES BY PREVIOUS DECISIONS TAKEN CONCERNING ONE SINGLE SERVICE."

ALTHOUGH BULK OF RESPONSES HAD NO OBJECTION TO PROPOSED FOUR TO SIX WEEK DURATION, US ON RECORD IN FAVOR OF FOUR WEEKS. ALTHOUGH BULK HAD NO COMMENTS ON PROPOSED AGENDA, FRG SAID CONFERENCE SHOULD LIMIT ITSELF TO REVISION OF APPENDIX 27 OF RADIO REGS.

2. COPIES OF SIX MEMBER STATE RESPONSES TO REF ITU CIRCULAR LETTERS AIRPOUCHED TO EB/TD.DALE

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